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Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Office communication mailed January 21, 2000. Entry of the following amendment is requested.

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Please enter into the specification the attached substitute paper copy of the Sequence Listing which includes 10 pages and provides sequences identified as SEQ ID NOS: 1-16.

#### REMARKS

On January 21, 2000, the Patent Office mailed an office action setting forth a Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures. As the Examiner has noted, Applicants have filed responses to three previous Notices to Comply. Applicants have done so in a good faith effort to correct defects in the Sequence Listing. Given the impending inextensible deadline for correcting these